

DPD-7277-59

23 October 1959

## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Concurrence in Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. [redacted]  
with Baird-Atomic, Inc., Cambridge, Mass., [redacted]

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1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for concurrence of the undersigned. Such recommendation is contained in Paragraph 5.

2. Contract No. [REDACTED] with the subject contractor provides for the furnishing of a technical field engineer to install, maintain and service sextants [REDACTED] at places within the continental United States and overseas for the period 6 January 1958 through 31 December 1959. Amendment No. 3 to the contract has been drawn to obligate funds for the estimated commitments required through 31 December 1959.

3. Additional [redacted] chargeable during FY 1960 in the amount of [redacted] should be obligated to cover the requirements through 31 December 1959. By concurrence to this memorandum the Comptroller signifies that funds are available for this obligation.

4. Certification of funds for this contract will be handled under the procedure approved by the Director of Central Intelligence on 15 December 1956, which, in effect, results in all covert expenses involving issuance of Treasury Checks being accumulated in a separate account within the Finance Division. The amounts in this account will be periodically scheduled for certification of the vouchers by the Director. This procedure eliminates the necessity for a separate certification of authority under Section 8(b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress, (formerly 10(b) - see 85-507 dtd 7/7/58) for each contract.

5. Concurrence in Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. [REDACTED] is recommended.

CONCURRENCES:

Contracting Officer, DPD

Office of General Counsel

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